



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of: ITO, Keita et al.

Group Art Unit: 3627

Serial No.: 09/901,566

Examiner: Carlos Lugo

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For: SEAL STRUCTURE IN ENGINE BODY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2003 for one month from August 20, 2003 to September 22, 2003, September 20, 2003 being a Saturday.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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